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Chest, Dizziness, Sour Eructations of the Stomach,  
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of the Heart, Inflammation of the Lungs, Pain in the  
regions of the Kidneys, and a hundred other painful  
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pid liver and bowels, which render them of unequalled  
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or sores; cleanse it when you find it obstructed  
and sluggish in the veins; cleanse it when it is foul,  
and your feelings will tell you when. Keep the blood  
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the United States took it with her on the  
voyage to Europe. The instrument was used during  
the voyage and kept in almost daily service  
in Siam about fourteen years. We used it  
in public and social worship in both the native  
and English services, singing schools and social  
gatherings. It has been of great service in  
teaching music to the natives and enabling them  
to sing correctly. We have taken it on excu-  
sions and travels in the country, and it has served  
to cheer our weary spirits and beguile many  
a tedious hour. The instrument is still good,  
and on our return again, will yet serve us or  
others for many years. It gives me much pleasure  
to recommend your instrument at home and  
abroad.

There were several Melodeons of other makers  
brought into Siam while we were there, but none  
equalled yours in purity and volume of tone, or  
stood the climate so well and kept in such perfect  
tune. The climate of India is very trying to Or-  
gans and Melodeons on account of the severity  
of the hot and rainy seasons. Your instruments  
have stood the test of any, and if they will stand  
the climate of India, all lovers of music should  
give them the preference every where.

J. H. CHANDLER.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 9th, 1869.

Messrs. Geo. A. Prince & Co.,  
Buffalo, N. Y.:  
Gentlemen—I had the satisfaction some eight  
years or more ago to purchase one of your 5 oc-  
tave Rosewood Melodeons, piano case, which I  
took with me to the East Indies.

On leaving that country I sold it, having used  
it seven years. It stood the climate of India  
better than any other make of instrument I ever  
saw. I am now desirous to purchase another to  
take with me to India. I should like to know at  
what price you will furnish me such a Melodeon  
as above described.

I am a Missionary, and wish the instrument  
particularly for the Mission. I may want more  
than one, but only care now to bargain for one.

An early answer will oblige.

Yours truly,  
J. P. TRACY,  
1018 Arch street, Philadelphia.

CONNEAUTVILLE, PA., Dec. 14th, 1869.

Geo. A. Prince & Co.,  
Buffalo, N. Y.:  
Gentlemen—Please send me by return mail reed  
for 4 octave Melodeon, first 6 above middle C.

The instrument was bought for me twenty years  
ago this fall, and is as good to-day as when pur-  
chased, with the exception of the loss of the lower  
mentioned reed. Send bill by mail and I will  
remit. Yours respectfully,  
H. H. ROBINSON, JR.

DETROIT, Dec. 15th, 1869.

Messrs. Geo. A. Prince & Co., Buffalo, N. Y.:  
Gentlemen—I have a Melodeon, Piano style,  
No. 1776, purchased of you nearly twenty years  
since. It possesses a rich mellow tone, not ex-  
celled by the instrument to-day. But, as you  
are aware, the bellows is of an uncomfortable  
construction. Can this be changed to the modern  
style, it being quite difficult for one not ac-  
customed to it to make it "go off"? If so, what  
will be the probable charge for doing it?

Now don't reply by advising me to buy a new  
one, for I doubt if you can beat the old one.

Yours very truly,  
EDWIN D. FISKE.

NEWARK, ILL., Dec. 15th, 1869.

Messrs. PRINCE & CO.:  
Gentlemen—I have a Melodeon of your manu-  
facture made about twelve years ago—single reed,  
five octave, piano case.

It has been in constant use since that time,  
and is in every respect in order, except one of  
the reeds. What will you let me have a new one  
for? Yours truly,  
M. O. SOUTHWORTH.

HERMANN, MO., Dec. 21st, 1869.

Messrs. Geo. A. Prince & Co., Buffalo, N. Y.:  
Gentlemen—I have had one of your 4 octave  
Melodeons in use for about eight years, and it is in  
good order yet.

At what price can I get another—same kind?  
The one I have was a premium from Orange Judd  
& Co., Publishers of American Agriculturalist.

Please answer soon, and state what commission  
you allow. Yours respectfully,  
JOHN B. MICHX, Notary Public.

PENDLETON, IND., Dec. 29th, 1869.

Geo. A. Prince & Co., Buffalo, N. Y.:  
Gentlemen—I find one of your 4 octave Melodeons  
has been in use sixteen years, all good excepting  
this reed, which I hope you will put in repair  
and return to the owner, Miss S. F. Irish, Pen-  
dleton, Ind., and oblige your friend,  
B. F. STINGER.

WACKENAG, ILL., Dec. 31st, 1869.

Geo. A. Prince & Co.:  
Dear Sirs—I write you for a Catalogue, and  
also to get your terms to Agents.

I think I can sell some, as I have one of your  
small Melodeons, which we had twelve years,  
and good yet, and have never expended one cent  
for repairs.

Yours respectfully,  
EDW. R. KNOX.

PORT ELGIN, ONT., Jan. 9th, 1870.

Messrs. Geo. A. Prince & Co.:  
Gentlemen—My wife has been teaching music  
for a number of years, and we have had one of  
your Melodeons in use for the last thirteen years,  
and still it is as good as ever. I believe I could  
dispose of several in this section. If you please,  
forward catalogue and prices, stating whether in  
gold or American currency.

Yours truly,  
H. J. BRENNER.

BRIDGEPORT, CONN., Jan. 10th, 1870.

Messrs. G. A. PRINCE & CO., Buffalo, N. Y.:  
Gentlemen—Your favor, dated of the 8th inst.,  
at hand, and its contents noted.

Can you inform me how much the approximate  
cost it will probably cost to fix the rubber you  
poke of in my instrument? and also please in-  
form me what are the best terms you will allow  
to me for "No. 3," also "No. 40."

I do not wish to lay out too much on the old  
one. It has been shipped to Mobile and back  
twice, and once to San Francisco, and never yet  
had any repairs to it except a new bellows. I  
have a large Parlor Organ, pipe top, twelve stops,  
two octaves, pedals, and four sets of pipes, in my  
house, but wish one of your Cabinet Organs for  
a present.

Please inform me of my request as soon as con-  
venient, and I will state what I will do.

Yours, very respectfully,  
C. J. LATHROP  
Feb. 24. 6m. Sec'y. Wood Bros. & Co.

**THE ENTERPRISE.**  
SWEETWATER, THURSDAY, NOV. 10, 1870.  
**Statistical.**  
The population of East Tennessee in  
1868, according to the census, was 272,  
615. This year it is made out to be 331,  
135. Monroe county is reported at 12,  
773, or only 166 more than in 1860;  
which everybody knows to be not so.

**Homicide in Chattanooga.**  
A boy named Fritz Lindeman was stab-  
bed and fatally injured in Chattanooga,  
last week, by another boy named Rogers.  
Rogers was bound over for trial in  
the sum of \$3,000. Owing to the age of  
the parties, this case is of an unusual kind,  
even for Chattanooga.

**Extraordinary Potato.**  
We omitted to notice last week the re-  
ceipt at this office from our young friend  
Cuba Mayes of a singularly-shaped pair of  
sweet potatoes. The main one weighed  
about four pounds, while around it and  
into it had grown another weighing about  
two pounds. Their loving embrace was  
only disturbed when it was found that six  
pounds of sweet potato in that shape  
couldn't be conveniently cooked.

**Cape Ann Advertiser.**  
One of the handsomest weekly papers  
we receive is the Cape Ann Advertiser,  
published at Gloucester, Massachusetts,  
by Messrs. Procter Brothers. These gen-  
tlemen are also proprietors of the cele-  
brated Nature's Hair Restorer, one of  
the best articles of the kind ever manu-  
factured. Such accomplished publishers  
as the Messrs. Procter would not offer an  
inferior article of any kind to the public.

Nature's Hair Restorer can be bought at  
Dr. R. F. Scruggs' Drug Store in this  
place.

**Immigration.**  
The following proclamation was issued  
by Governor Senter on the 31st ultimo,  
but we failed to see it in time for publi-  
cation in last week's paper:

Whereas, A convention has been called  
to meet at Indianapolis, Indiana, on the  
23d day of November, 1870, for the pur-  
pose of encouraging and protecting immi-  
gration; and

Whereas, All immigration societies  
throughout the country are requested to  
appoint delegates thereto;

Now, therefore, I, D. W. C. Senter,  
Governor, etc., appreciating the impor-  
tance of such a movement, do hereby re-  
quest each county board of immigration  
and immigration societies throughout the  
State to appoint delegates to represent  
them in said convention, with a delegation  
of four to represent the State at large.

D. W. C. SENTER.

**Farewell, Harrison.**  
Active arrangements are on foot in  
Hamilton county to turn its present cap-  
ital, Harrison, out to grass. Chattanooga  
offers to build on her own sacred soil,  
and with her own city due bills, a court  
house and jail, without putting the coun-  
ty to any expense whatever. In order to  
gain votes for the removal of the county  
seat, Chattanooga promises to support  
vigorously the formation of a new county  
from portions of Hamilton, Rhea, Meigs  
and Bradley, an arrangement which is  
getting to be very popular in spots. The  
upshot of the matter will be that Chat-  
tanooga will go in debt for the courthouse  
and jail, and all of Harrison that don't  
go to Chattanooga will go to grass.

**The Banner of the South.**  
As we have previously announced, this  
paper, which Father Ryan's name and  
labor made so deservedly popular, has  
passed into the hands of the Augusta,  
Georgia, Chronicle Publishing Company.

It came to hand last week under the name  
of The Banner of the South and Planter's  
Journal, and is edited by Messrs. Henry  
Moore, A. R. Wright and Patrick Walsh.

The second-named gentleman was the gal-  
lant commander of "Wright's Georgia  
Brigade," which, so long as "Old Rance"  
was at its head, was one of the bravest  
and most effective organizations in the  
Army of Northern Virginia. The first  
page of the new paper contains well got-  
ten up likenesses of all the celebrated  
Trotting Horses of this country, includ-  
ing the world-renowned Dexter. With  
the exception of its having dropped the  
advocacy of the Roman Catholic religion,  
and substituted therefor an Agricultural  
Department, there is no material change  
in the features of the paper.

**A Scene in Beecher's Church.**  
A few Sundays ago, as Mr. Beecher  
was about to commence his sermon, a stout,  
fatherly-looking man was endeavoring to  
make his way through the crowd to get  
within better hearing distance of the dis-  
tinguished orator. At that moment Mr.  
Beecher's voice rang out the words of the  
text: "Who art thou?" "Who art thou?"  
again cried out the dramatic preacher.  
The stout man thinking himself in the  
wrong, perhaps, by pressing forward, and  
believing himself to be personally ad-  
dressed, startled the brethren and non-  
brethren of their reverend chief by sedately  
replying: "I am a pig merchant from  
Chicago, sir. I hope you ain't mad. There  
ain't nary a chair, or I'd a set down." Ply-  
mouth Church didn't recover its serenity  
for ten minutes.

A Western editor announces that he is  
pained to hear a certain friend of his has  
just gone to Heaven.

A lyceum in Illinois is preparing to  
debate whether a dog is a biped or not  
when his tail curls so tight that it lifts  
his hind legs off the ground.

Browning—"Well, I always make it a  
rule to tell my wife everything that hap-  
pens." Smith—"Oh, my dear fellow,  
that is nothing. I tell my wife lots of  
things that never happen at all."

At New Albany, Indiana, Mr. Stewart  
accused Mr. Watkins of stealing his shirt,  
when Mr. Watkins, who had the shirt on  
at the time, seized an ax, and with one  
blow split his accuser in two, thus destroy-  
ing all evidence against himself.

A Philadelphia paper calls this item a  
slander: "Some women are very strong  
and can do as much work as a man. In  
Philadelphia there are several strong-  
minded women who get a living by shop-  
lifting, and it is said they can lift as much  
as a man."

A widower of New Haven, who hap-  
pened to marry a second time without  
consulting the wishes of his daughter, on  
attempting to introduce his bride into the  
family mansion, a few nights since, was  
set upon by sticks and stones and com-  
pelled to fly for his life.

The following is a list of the names of  
the candidates for office, canvassing his  
district for votes, came upon a poor Mr.  
White who had a vote to cast. The poor  
man was milking when the office-seeker  
found him.

"Shall I hold her?" he asked, seeing  
the animal was uneasy.

The old man consented; the office-seek-  
er took the cow by the horns and the man  
proceeded with the milking.

"Have you had Young around here  
lately?" asked the candidate presently,  
referring to his rival.

"Oh, yes," said the old man; "he's be-  
hind the barn, holding the calf."

**Duelling vs. Assault.**  
The Richmond man who lately refused  
to fight a duel because it was "agin the  
law" is badly treated. He fails to re-  
ceive the tribute of admiration and re-  
spectful mention his moral heroism de-  
mands. It is actually argued by one crit-  
ic that when he, being a large man, pull-  
ed the little man's nose, the unlawfulness  
of assault and battery seems not to have  
struck him; but as soon as the little man  
challenged him the law against duelling  
became more holy than all the books of  
Moses in his eyes; added to which the lit-  
tle man, who is an editor, rakes up so  
much of our moral hero's record as shows  
him a purveyor, or something of that sort,  
for General Mahone, in the "late unpleas-  
antness," and upon this record remarks:  
"He commanded not men, but pots and  
skillet, and recruited for Mahone's staff  
chickens and eggs, butter, milk &c. He  
did not regard fighting as a good thing  
in times of war, and he abhors it as a felony  
in times of peace." After this exposition  
it is evident our moral heroes must re-  
member their mortality before, and not  
ret, insulting other folks. Duelling is  
bad, but it is simply base for one man to  
abuse another, and then skulk responsi-  
bly by avowing himself a Christian or a  
law-abiding citizen, or other such non-  
combatant. Nothing so tends to give du-  
elling a seeming justification as "hedging  
like this."

**A Profanist.**  
There is a man in New Jersey who is  
provoked. He is absent minded. A few  
nights since he went out to drive home  
his cow. Arriving at the pasture ground  
he found that the cow was gone, but the  
bell which should have been around her  
neck was found lying upon the ground.

He placed it in his pocket and forgot all  
about it. Every now and then it would  
give a smothered jingle, and he would  
think it was his cow and would start off  
in a fresh direction. He followed that  
bell, as he thought, until twelve o'clock  
at night, and walked twenty miles. When  
he reached home the cow had been there  
five or six hours, and his wife had gone  
to town to advertise for him. Perhaps  
he wasn't mad when he found that bell in  
his pocket! His wife says she has heard  
Mr. Greeley, Henry Ward Beecher, The-  
odore Tilton, and all the eminent profan-  
ists, but her husband swore them all into  
hopeless inferiority.